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2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 8 AT SEATTLE 9 CASE NO. C20-1053JLR NIKIE M. KING, 10 Plaintiff, ORDER OF DISMISSAL 11 WITHOUT PREJUDICE v. 12 GAIL JENKINS, et al., 13 Defendants. 14 On November 23, 2020, the court ordered pro se Plaintiff Nikie M. King to show 15 cause why this case should not be dismissed for lack of subject matter jurisdiction. (OSC 16 17 (Dkt. #8).) The court stated that "absent some measure of clarification as to the legal 18 claims that Ms. King asserts in this case, the court is unable to determine whether it has federal question jurisdiction." (Id. at 2.) Moreover, "it appears that the court does not 19 20 have diversity jurisdiction." (Id.) Thus, the court ordered Ms. King to "provide

sufficient information to establish that the court has federal question jurisdiction . . . [or]

provide some other basis for the court's exercise of subject matter jurisdiction over this

1 action" within 14 days of the order. (*Id.* at 3.) The court cautioned that failure to respond 2 would result in dismissal without prejudice. (*Id.*) 3 Ms. King's response to the court's order to show cause was due on December 6, 4 2020. (See id.) She has failed to provide a response. (See generally Dkt.) Although the 5 court's order may not have reached Ms. King (see 12/7/20 Dkt. Entry (Dkt. # 9) ("Mail addressed to Nikie King returned as Undeliverable")), Ms. King is responsible for 6 7 maintaining an updated address with the court, see Local Rules W.D. Wash. LCR 10(f); LCR 41(b)(2). Because Ms. King has not provided any basis for the court's exercise of 8 9 subject matter jurisdiction, the court DISMISSES this case without prejudice. 10 Dated this 18th day of December, 2020. 11 ~ R. Rlit 12 JAMES L. ROBART 13 United States District Judge 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22